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I have been a resident of the United States since birth and a user of Microsoft products for some twelve years.

I believe that you should withdraw your consent to the revised proposed Final Judgment settlement.

This settlement will not provide a sufficient influence on Microsoft to abandon its monopolistic practices.

Microsoft should NOT be allowed to use its popularity to limit choice among computer manufacturers and therefore, computer users across the world.

Here's why:

There are several good operating systems out there today. Each has its own strengths and its own weaknesses. None of them are the perfect solution to every problem. I believe that we all do ourselves a great disservice by forcing users to grow accustomed to the fact that Microsoft (and maybe Apple) is all that there is. Manufacturers should be allowed to provide, NAY! encouraged to promote, side-by-side operating system comparisons on the same machine. For better or worse, let the people decide!

So again, please rescind your agreement. Make Microsoft act properly. Besides, I doubt that it's going to break them!

Sincerely,

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